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DEMOCRATIC TICKET

Governor—James M. Cox.
Lieutenant Governor—W. A. Greenland.
Secretary of State—J. H. Seacrest.
Treasurer of State—John P. Brennan.
Attorney General—Joseph McGhee.
United States Senator—Timothy S. Hogan.
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court—Hugh L. Nichols.
Judges of Supreme Court—J. Foster Wilkin and Phil M. Crow.
Judge of the Court of Appeals—Lewis B. Houck.
Representative to Congress—Wm. A. Ashbrook.
State Senator—Willis Horn.
Common Pleas Judge—B. B. Ferenbaugh.
Representative—N. H. Hunter.
Clerk of Court—Guy Taylor.
Sheriff—John M. Woolison.
Auditor—Walter M. Riley.
Commissioners—J. C. Earleywine, Riley Levering, George M. Shaffer.
Treasurer—Lloyd M. Bell.
Recorder—Edgar C. Rush.
Surveyor—Roger S. Hyatt.
Prosecuting Attorney—Charles L. Belmont.
Coroner—V. L. Fisher.

Everybody knows where James M. Cox stands on every question. Nobody knows where Frank B. Willis stands on any question. Now candidly which of the two is entitled to the governorship?

Theodore Roosevelt addressed the largest crowd he ever met in Ohio at Columbus this week. Those who have been discounting the Progressive vote had better call for a recount.

Contrast Governor Cox in his record for party pledge and official performance against Willis' stand in platform making and campaign repudiation. The people nowadays expect every candidate to do his duty, before and after election.

Theodore Roosevelt made friends in Ohio when he abandoned his Maine program of attack of the peace policy of President Wilson. In this he is wiser than are Willis and Harding who insist that the Wilson policy is puerile and pusillanimous.

Joseph McGhee is being greeted warmly by the hosts of labor as the man who saved the compulsory workmen's compensation law. In mooted cases, it is known too, that he has been construing the law for the sake of justice, rather than for the sake of technicality.

State examiners appointed by Auditor Donahay this week found that Treasurer John Brennan had collected \$536,355.24 as interest on public funds, and that his accounting was honest. Simultaneous with this news is the action filed against bank directors in a bank made possible by interest which was not paid to the state.

Warren Harding said that Taft was the greatest progressive ever, and that he was tickled high unto death to pay deference and devotion to George B. Cox. And now, as a regular candidate again, he affirms that he wants to see Ohio get back to the days where it used to be when state funds founded private banks, workmen had no chance for protection, where bad roads kept the country isolated and where graft and pull were the things that made the wheels go round forever and ever.

Congressman Willis says he opposed the Cincinnati ripper bill by speech and action. But by vote he supported it, and the official records show he steered the rotten measure through the house, after it had passed the senate with the approval of Mr. Harding. And when the Toledo ripper bill came up a little later, Mr. Willis was again recorded as supporting and voting for the bill. These bills were so rotten that a friendly supreme court held its nose and was compelled to declare them unconstitutional on the indignant demand of the people.

Mr. Edward Cook of West Gambier street entered the M. & S. hospital Friday for treatment.

WARREN'S DREAM



"I want the Republican party in Ohio, under the leadership of Frank B. Willis, to come back and make us what we were before."—Warren G. Harding. —Pittsburgh Times.

PRESIDENT WILSON COMES OUT WITH A STRONG ENDORSEMENT OF GOV. COX'S ADMINISTRATION

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—President Wilson yesterday afternoon sweeping endorsed Governor Cox of Ohio and the Ohio Democratic delegation in Congress in the following open letter sent to Congressman George White of Marietta.

"My dear Mr. White: I thank you sincerely for sending me a copy of the legislative handbook which is being submitted to the voters of Ohio. It is certainly a record of notable achievement. Governor Cox has carried out with extraordinary spirit and suc-

ces the program of reforms laid down in the platform of the party in the state and so has illustrated once more the feeling of the best public men that the promises upon which one seeks election constitute their mandate from the people.

"This record is of a piece with the consistent action of the Democratic members of the house of representatives from Ohio which has constantly excited my admiration.

"Cordially and sincerely yours, (Signed) 'WOODROW WILSON.'"

GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

English Writer Who is a Critic of the War Policy.



OHIO HAPPENINGS

Section Men Slugged.

Cleveland, Oct. 3.—Frank Zordica, section hand, was found in a shanty at the edge of the railroad yards with his head badly battered and cut. Before he died in a hospital he said he had been set upon by a gang of men. While investigating this murder the police found Joseph Savoc, thirty, another section hand. He had been badly beaten on the head and a bloody pickaxe was found near him. He is not expected to live.

Woman Fatally Burned.

Zanesville, O., Oct. 3.—Mrs. Henry Johnson, sixty-two, of White Cottage, was fatally burned. She was cleaning a stove without having turned off the gas in one burner and her clothing caught fire.

Divides With Employees.

Defiance, O., Oct. 3.—The American Steel Package company has distributed \$5,000 among its employees under its profit sharing plan.

Automobile Killed.

Bowling Green, O., Oct. 3.—Bert Royal, while riding in an automobile, was killed by an interurban car.

SLEW SON-IN-LAW

Former Official Indicted For Murder In First Degree.

New City, N. Y., Oct. 3.—William V. Cleary, former town clerk of Haverstraw, who shot and killed Eugene Newman, his nineteen-year-old son-in-law of a week in his office last July, was indicted for murder in the first degree. Cleary was the Democratic boss of Haverstraw. The killing of Newman scarcely a week after he had married Anna Cleary stirred this part of the country last summer. Newman went to Cleary's office on July 23 to tell him of the marriage and was shot down in less than two minutes. Cleary, arrested on the spot, declared Newman had wronged his daughter and that he did not know the couple were married.

Always Something. I find this life upsetting quite things never seem to come my way. It's hard to get asleep at night and hard to get awake by day.—Kansas City Journal.

Papa's Plan Prevents Proposal. He (impetuous)—But you say yourself that your father is anxious to get you off his hands. She—Yes; that's why I don't think he'll listen to you.—Exchange.

KILLS SCHOOL TEACHER

Rejected Suitor Then Uses Knife on Himself.

Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 3.—Miss Bessie Kromer of Schoharie, a teacher in the local grade schools, was stabbed and killed by Antonio Ponton, a Porto Rican, who is a sophomore at the Albany high school. He also inflicted three wounds in his breast and is expected to die. The stabbing occurred in the street in full view of several persons. Fifteen wounds were inflicted in the teacher's body, one piercing her heart and causing death. Ponton had been paying attention to Miss Kromer until about a year ago, when she repulsed him.

Auto Crashes Into Spectators.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 3.—Five persons were injured at the Interstate fair when an automobile driven by Jack Locain of Boston crashed in among the spectators, as Locain was completing the seventeenth lap of a twenty-five mile race. Locain had an arm burned, but escaped other injuries.

Making Sure.

"I will show my love not by words, but by deeds." "I think dear, you had better show the deeds to our lawyer."—Baltimore American.

LIFE TERMER IS IN A CLASS WITH SOUSA

Young Cherokee Indian Leads Prison Band.

Tulsa, Okla. — Senator Robert L. Owen has made a personal appeal to President Wilson for a pardon for George Duncan, a Cherokee Indian, serving a life sentence in Leavenworth Federal prison. Since his incarceration he has achieved fame as a bandmaster and composer. Men prominent in all the walks of life in this state have joined in the appeal for his pardon.

Duncan was an illiterate boy of sixteen when convicted of the murder of an Indian territory farmer near Wagoner ten years ago. The wife of the murdered man, a woman twice Duncan's age, was tried as an accomplice, but was acquitted. The theory of the government was that she was the instigator. Duncan insisted that he was alone in the crime.

His paternal grandfather, a Cherokee chief, was one of the famous old time "fiddlers" in Indian territory. After entering prison Duncan took up music and soon became proficient at it. Eventually his musical ability attracted the attention of the prison authorities, and he was placed in charge of the band, which now has twenty-six members and is the equal of any musical organization in Kansas. Many band pieces composed by him are played throughout the United States, and his admirers rank him with Sousa and other American composers of band music. He has also acquired a first class education along general lines while in prison.

A typical "hill billy" upon entering prison, he is now one of the most attractive looking men in the Leavenworth institution.

Judge Peter Delchman of Tulsa, before whom Duncan and the woman were tried, has joined in the appeal for his pardon.

SEARED BY 13,000 VOLTS.

Electricity Which Didn't Kill Him Cut Grant's Footprints In Stone.

Burlington, N. J.—Although 13,000 volts of electricity passed through his body John Grant of this city is alive and physicians say he has a good chance of recovery.

Grant is employed at the new power plant of the Public Service corporation at Reubens Point, West Burlington. He took hold of a high tension wire and in a twinkling was hurled thirty feet across the room, but not before the current had passed through his body and cut a clear outline of both shoes in the concrete flooring.

Fellow workmen thought Grant was dead, but a physician revived him, and he was rushed to the hospital here. His hands and feet are seared to the bones.

Would Call on the Kaiser.

Paris.—Julius Vedrines, the French air man, is chafing because the officers will not give him more latitude in scouting. "If they will permit me," he says, "I will leave my visiting card at the royal palace in Berlin."

BIG CATCH OF SALMON.

Jason a Long and Fruitful One in Alaskan Waters.

Astoria, Ore.—The arrival of the tender Akutan to go into winter quarters from the Bristol bay district, Alaska, brings news of a record breaking salmon pack in that part of the world. There was a steady run of fish during the season, which lasted later than ever before. Every available can was filled, and at the Nushagak river canneries alone there was a shortage of cans equal to 20,000 cases of fish. At all other factories shortages existed. None was prepared for the tremendous run of salmon. After all the cans were filled the fishing was stopped. The Nushagak river canneries totalled 546,200 cases.

Scientific investigation is clearing up some of the mysteries of the salmon, refuting the idea that all die in spawning and other fallacies.

It is stated by State Fish Warden R. E. Clanton that there is no specific limit to the distance which salmon will ascend the streams in which they deposit their spawn. They continue to travel upstream as far as the depth of water will permit swimming or until they reach some insurmountable obstacle. The recorded government limit is Alturas lake, Idaho, 7,335 feet.

WOMAN KILLS A LIONESS.

Wounded Animal Was In Search of Her Stolen Cub.

Reno, Nev.—Mrs. George Ellery, wife of a trapper, whose cabin is near Unionville, Nev., saved her own life and that of her three-year-old child by killing a big mountain lioness with a blow from a rifle after the animal, wounded, had charged her.

Ellery trapped three lion cubs. He believes they were the lioness' litter and that she trailed him to the cabin. Mrs. Ellery saw the lioness watching the cabin and called the baby, playing outside. Then she reached for a rifle.

She took one shot at the lioness, but only wounded it. The animal then rushed at the woman. Mrs. Ellery stepped back to give her a clear swing with the rifle and brought the butt down on the head of the lioness, killing it.

Sick Women Attention

Is it possible there is a woman in this country who continues to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial after all the evidence that is continually being published, which proves beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other one medicine in the world?

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PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and I overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—Mrs. S. T. RICHMOND, 199 Waldo Street, Providence, R. I.

A Minister's Wife Writes:

CLOQUET, MINN.—"I have suffered very much with irregularities, pain and inflammation, but your wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has made me well and I can recommend the same to all that are troubled with these complaints."—Mrs. JENNY AKERMAN, c/o Rev. K. AKERMAN, Cloquet, Minnesota.

From Mrs. J. D. Murdoch, Quincy, Mass.

SOUTH QUINCY, MASS.—"The doctor said that I had organic trouble and he doctored me for a long time and I did not get any relief. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and I tried it and found relief before I had finished the first bottle. I continued taking it all through middle life and am now a strong, healthy woman and earn my own living."—Mrs. JANE D. MURDOCH, 25 Gordon St., South Quincy, Mass.

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NEW AMBASSADOR FROM ITALY

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—The circle of foreign diplomats in Washington has just received a new and interesting addition in the person of Count Macchi di Cellere, who has arrived here to take up his duties as Italian ambassador to the United States.

The new ambassador comes from a very old Roman family, which has given many cardinals to the church. He is a great favorite at court, where Countess Cellere is among the ladies seen at all functions.

About a year ago Count Cellere was asked to accept a candidacy for parliament, which he declined upon being appointed to the Washington post. He is a knight of the order of the Crown of Italy, and is a knight commander of the St. Maurizio and St. Lazzaro, one of the most distinguished and oldest orders of Europe, founded in the sixteenth century by the house of Savoy.

Count Cellere is a man of brilliant diplomatic achievements, and more than once he has been spoken of in Rome as a future minister of foreign affairs. His home in the Italian capital is one of the most beautiful residences in that city. The family's old palace, however, is in Piazza Capranica, and is familiar to Americans, as it constitutes one of the best specimens of the early renaissance.

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AMERICAN PRISON ASSOCIATION

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 3.—Prison wardens and heads of numerous other correctional institutions and charitable organizations have arrived here in large numbers to take part in the annual meeting of the American Prison Association. Today was devoted to the registration of the delegates and the transaction of considerable preliminary business. A special conference will be held tomorrow and the regular business of the association will occupy Monday and Tuesday. An attractive programme combines with the large and representative attendance to give promise of one of the most successful meetings ever held by the association.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHale of West Gambier street went to Massillon this morning to spend Sunday with relatives.

Miss Ella Waddell of South Sandusky street left this morning for Coshocot, where she will spend two weeks with relatives.